LATTER NOW CUT DOWN TO THE MINIMUM

Milwaukee and Burlington Promptly Meet Great Western's Latest Reduction and Northwestern

is Expected To.

The Milwaukee and Burlington have promptly met the Chicago Great Western's latest cut of grain rates and the Northwestern is expected to meet it. As these rates are about as low as they can be, it Is anticipated now that the war will branch out so as to involve all the Omaha-Chicago roads over all classes of commodities.

The last cut of grain rates is one of ? cents per hundred, making the rates from Omalia to Chicago 8 cents on wheat and cents on corn. The rates from the Missourl river to the Mississippi river are not affected by the last cut, and still stand at 5 cents on wheat and 4 cents on corn.

The cut was promptly met by both the Milwankee and the Burlington, and as J. A. Kuhn, assistant general freight and passenger agent of the Northwestern, was called to Chicago Sunday evening by freight officials of his line it is believed that the Northwestern axe is in progress of sharpening to again take off a huge chunk from the through rates from Nebraska territory

"You can look for trouble," said a well "The grain rates posted freight man, have now been cut to the very bottom, and if the war is continued there is but one thing left to do, and that is to begin taking off the rates on other commodities. I be Heve that if the Northwestern gods below this last cut of the Chicago Great Western the latter road will retaliate by cutting the rates on packing house products, live stock or some other class of freight. It looks to me now as though both the Northwestern and Chicago Great Western are in the field to fight this battle to

Stickney's Last Move.

The last move of Mr. Stickney in announcing a reduction in the rates to Chicago without making a like reduction in the Mississippi river and Iowa rates shows that he is about at the end of his string so far as grain rates are concerned, and if he proposes keeping up the fight, which he evidently intends to do, he must cast about for some other kind of ammunition with which to carry on the war.

"The through rates on grain to the Atlantic seaboard are based on the rates between the rivers, so that Mr. Stickney's cut in the Chicago rates is of no benefit to export shippers of grain. He will continue to get his proportion of 7.9 cents on export business, the same as when the Chicago rate on wheat was 10 cents. The cut in the Chicago rate is of no practical benefit to local grain shippers, for the reason that very little grain is going to the

Chicago market at present." The Rock Island announces that for the present no further reduction in its grain

rates will be made. "We will wait," said an official of that line, "and see how this war is going to terminate. I cannot see what advantage there is in cutting the rates when there is very little grain to be hauled. We desire to get our rates lined up again, and if there is any more cutting to be done we will make a new start after we find out just where we are in the matter. This action on our part will probably complicate mataside it mixes up matters by making different sets of rates over different lines."

New Improvement Organization Elects

Full Corps of Officials and Committees.

The officers of the Civic improvement League of Omaha met for the first time yesterday in the Board of Trade building and appointed the committees called for by the recently adopted constitution. In addition to President Slabaugh, Treasurer Luther L. Kountze and Secretary Miss McCartney, there are nine vice presidents, one from each ward. These Monday selected the executive board of seven, which will be the real executive head of the organization. Those named were E. A. Benson, E. J. Cornish, A. A. Buchanan, W. H. Green,

The general committee of 100 will be the controlling body of the association and part of these were named Monday. The constitution provides for four standing committees and these chairmen have been appointed: For ways and means, E. A. Benson; press, publications and public meetings, A. A. Buchanan; membership and organization, W. H. Green; legislation, C. L. Saunders. Membership rendezvouses were named in various parts of the city, where membership tickets may be obtained. Among these were O. D. Kiplinger, at Thirteenth and Farnam; N. P. Dodge, jr., on Farnam, and Schmidt's drug store, at Twenty-fourth and

Cuming streets. Those named for the general committee

E. A. Benson, A. A. Buchanan, S. P. Bostwick, Charles Williamson, E. J. Cornish, R. B. Howell, C. L. Saunders, Dr. G. L. Miller, Captain H. E. Palmer, W. H. Green, L. L. Kountze, Alfred Millard, Theodore Johnson, T. J. Mahoney, N. P. Dodge, J. Y. Craig, W. S. Poppleton, P. W. Fitch, Dr. C. S. Gifford, Dr. W. O. Henry, C. G. Pearse, Gus Anderson, J. H. Butler, W. A. Pixley, John W. Robbins, W. F. Johnson, Major D. H. Wheeler, John Latenser, Rev. M. J. O'Connor, John F. Dailey, Count John A. Creighton, T. J. Fitz- and electric-lighted throughout. There will William morris, C. S. Lobingler, William Hayden, G. W. Lininger, George W. San-Lohingier, cha, E. F. Morearty, G. A. Pope, W. G. side it will be possible to unload fifty Ure, Henry W. Yates, C. C. Belden, J. E. freight cars at one time. On the side of Baum, William Bushman, George A. Jos-

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is surely coming. Don't wait for it. If you are run down and take and cold easily, try

SCOTT'S EMULSION

It will strengthen and fortify your system and keep you well.

Window Ladies'

Thousands of Yards of Highest Class Embroideries on Sale at Rare Bargains

From Arnold B. Heine, importer, of New York, we secured at auction a gigantic stock of the very finest Embroideries ever imported from Switzerland. We have some of the very choicest lots from the stock of this great importer. The Embroideries are the finest Swiss, nainsook and cambric ever shown at an Omaha sale-up to 18 inches wide and actually worth as high as 50c a yard-on bargain squares tomorrow at-yard-

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Sale of Laces at 1c, 2½c, 5c, 10c

A special sale of Laces for tomorrow includes a great array of fine Laces that are up to 5 inches wide. They are in Plat Vals, Normandy Vals and Torchons-also some specially fine Net Top Orientals, suitable for sleeves-worth as high as 35c a yard-tomorrow at-yard-

1c, 2^{1}_{2} c, 5c, 10c Silkoline at 1c Yard In Mill Remnants

We place on sale tomorrow 10,000 yards of Silkoline in mill remnants-this Silkoline is actually worth up to fifteen cents a yard-tomorrow-on bargain square at-

25c Drapery Swiss at 10c Yard

One big table of white and dotted Drapery Swiss, in long mill lengths, generally sells at 25c a yard, at-

Ladies' Silk Petticoats \$4.50

A beautiful assortment of the smartest and daintiest Silk Pet-ticoats ever shown—in all colors and black—made with accordion pleated ruffles, pleats and clusters of tucks— on front bargain square at.

Ladies' Embroidered Turnover Collars at 5 Cents Each.

New Styles in Pillow Top Handkerchiefs at 81 Cents Each.

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BEALTHY PLANTS

Require the Most Careful Attention as Well as Good Soil.

Did you ever see a rosebush whichdespite the most beneficent environment of soil-of sunshine-and of atmosphereseemed never to achieve a healthy growth? A ton of manure will not help a plant that has a canker eating out its heart. You must destroy the cause before you

can remove the effect. You cannot cure Dandruff and Baldness by rubbing on hair lotions, and rubbing in vaseline, etc.

You must look to the cause of the trouble W. A. Pixley, G. Y. Craig and S. P. Bostit's a germ at the roots of your hair which causes it to fall out.

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WILL BE FINE FREIGHT HOUSE New Depot of Great Western Planned to Be One of Best Structures

in West.

It is said that the new freight depot to be built on the Great Western terminals will be the finest structure of its kind in the west. The entire building will be constructed of brick and stone. A frost proof cellar will be constructed under the building which will be cement-lined throughout. All of the floors in the building will be convex, sloping from the center to the sides, so that in case of fire on one of the floors the water thrown in to quench the flames will run off without damage to the goods which may be stored on the floors below. Each floor will be provided with troughs at the sides to carry off the water. dians, pleaded not guilty. The case is set The building will be four stories in height, for Tuesday, February 16. be fifteen doors on each side of the building, and by running three lines of cars alongbe space for fifteen teams to back up to trict attorney the suit against the accused the doors for loading and unloading purposes. The driveway will be either brick or asphalt paved so that in muddy weather no difficulty will be experienced in said that the improvements when completed will have cost \$150,000.

Marriage Licenses.

Up to noon, February 15, the following ouples had been licensed to wed: Name and Residence.
harles McDowell. Omaha
lyma Dillehay, Oraha
oseph W. Dalley, Omaha
islen Clemen, Omaha William Meyers, Missouri Valley, Ia... Henrietta Harder, Missouri Valley, Ia...

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Mathew and Minnie Rodgers and Irene
Trotter, arrested last Saturday afternoon
by Officers Crowe and Jackson for disturbing
the peace at the Rodgers home. Eleventh
and Capitol avenue, by fighting and
destroying furniture, were arraigned in
police court this morning. The Rodgers
woman was fined \$10 and costs, the evidence
showing that she was the aggressor, while
the other two disturbers were discharged.
Both of the woman bear abrasions of the
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Trefles distress you, Bucklen's Arnica
Salve will cure it, or no pay, 25c. For sale
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Mortality Statistics.

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The following births and deaths have
been reported to the Board of Health during the forty-eight hours ending at noon
Monday:

Mirths—William Spencer, 513 North Twenty-third, boy:
— Hail, 1631 North EighRightenth, 1; Pearl Border, Fortieth and Jackson; N. Edwards, St. Joseph's Fined for Rough House.

F.ve Hundred Dollars Fine.

HEADS THE LIST IN THE FEDERAL COURT

Judge Munger Convenes Adjourned Term, at Which Rush Presents

Long List of Indictments

for Disposition.

The adjourned term of the United States district and circuit courts opened yesterday morning at the federal building. The jury was not called until afternoon. Deputy United States District Attorney Rush presented a long list of criminal indictments set for hearing and disposition was made of these

R. E. Dutton, Lincoln, indicted on the charge of mailing unmailable matter. Captain L. W. Billingsley appeared for the defendant. A motion for the demurrer has been filed in the case and Captain Billingsley stated that his client was ready for trial at once and that could the hearing proceed without further delay the demurrer would be withdrawn. The district attorney was not ready for immediate trial, as witnesses had to be summoned from Georgia and other distant states. Judge Munger stated that as the case was noted for trial on this date he would give the district attorney until Saturday to summon his witnesses and the case went over to that date. The witnesses will be summoned by telegraph.

John Killelea, South Omaha; indicted for sending a threatening postal card through the mails. Killelea pleaded guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$25. Sherman Ennis and Fred Borgman, Bancroft, Neb., charged with selling liquor to

Indians. Bond declared forfeited, because of nonappearance of the accused.

Gets Fine of \$100. Theodore Staniscuis of Omaha, indicted for sending obscene matter through the mails. Pleaded guilty. Fined \$100. Charles Green Rainbow and Lewis Priest, indicted for alleged selling of liquor to In-

Edward Walker of Lincoln, indicted on the charge of sending obscene matter through the mails. The accused is now confined in the Hastings asylum as incurafreight cars at one time. On the side of bly insane and upon the recommendation the building opposite the tracks there will of Postoffice Inspector Sinclair and the dis-

was nollied. Former Postmaster Glasgow of South Auburn, Nab., indicted for neglecting to deposit government funds with a designated handling heavily laden wagons. It is government depository, pleaded guilty and was fined \$500.

The hearing of J. T. Walker of Raymond. indicted for alleged embezziement of a letter, was set for hearing Monday afternoon, February 15.

The cases of James Smith, Sim Chidier, Samuel Thomas and Charles Moose, indicted on the charge of selling liquor to Indians, was set for Monday afternoon, February 15.

The cases against John Mitchell, postmaster at Alma, and W. M. Erwin of Alma, indicted for the alleged sale of postage stamps and conspiracy for trying to increase the revenues of the Alma postoffice, are set for Thursday.

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splendld garment for this season's wear. Children's heavy flat and jersey ribbed, fleece fined underwearshirts and drawers-in natural, ecru and white-all sizes, from 3 to 12-worth originally up to 45c-reduced to 19c.

Big lot of indies' black vests and tights, natural and white vests and pants-children's combination suits, ladies combine ilon suits, which regularly sold at Tac, \$1.00 to \$1.50-one price, 69c/ 40 dozen ladies fine muslin long cloth and cambric curset covers,

beautiful styles in V, square and round necks, trimmed in fine laces and embroideries-styles that sold at 35c, 50c and 75c-all Ladies' and children's fine imported golf, mercerized cashmere and silk gloves and mittens-all go at one price-many pretty

stripes and figures-also black, tan, gray and white-regular 250, Nebraska Clothing CLOTHES FOR MEN . NO WOMEN

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